

GENERATION AXE

THE GUITARS THAT DESTROYED THE WORLD: LIVE IN CHINA



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BETTENCOURT**



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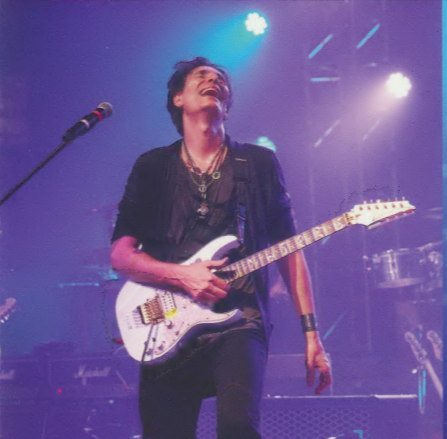
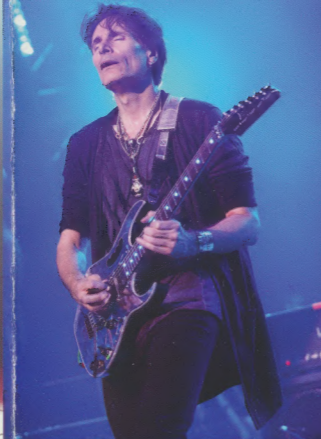
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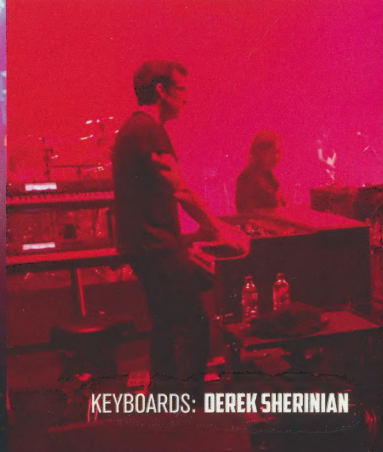
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While on tour in Asia in 2017, the concerts in Tokyo, Japan; Hong Kong; Guangzhou, China; Beijing, China; Jakarta, Indonesia; and Singapore were recorded. The music herein is comprised of snippets from each show but the majority of the record is from the show in Guangzhou, China.





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Steve would like to thank all the fans that came out to the shows and everybody that is presented here in this package, but especially Nuno, Tosin, Zakk and Yngwie. This record is a snapshot of a good time in life where we all came together and gave the best of what we do to create something truly special. But the real value here is in the friendship and bonds we made along the way. We are living life to its fullest, and I cannot be more appreciative to you all for this phenomenal life experience. You are the BESTEST!

Steve Vai uses: Ibanez guitars, DiMarzio pickups, Carvin Legacy amps, Ernie Ball strings • **Zakk Wylde uses:** Wylde Audio Guitars • **Yngwie Malmsteen uses:** Fender Guitars • **Nuno Bettencourt uses:** Washburn Guitars • **Tosin Abasi uses:** Abasi Guitars.

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